



## Today in History

*March 25, 1995*

▲ The Schengen Treaty, to abolish border checks between European Union states, came into force. The zone now covers 27 countries and more than 400 million people

**1954:** The first colour television went on sale for around \$1,000, roughly the same cost as a car at that time

**1995:** WikiWikiWeb, the world's first user-editable website, was created for programmers to exchange ideas

**1998:** The first legally assisted suicide in the U.S. of a terminally ill patient took place in Oregon

**2009:** Scientists reported that debris from an asteroid that fell to Earth had been recovered for the first time